

Tomato Vegetable Balti

Traditionally, Baltis are cooked in a cast iron pot called a karahi, which is similar to a wok. They are eaten with naan (pita is fine) to scoop up the sauce and with a little yogurt or raita on the side. We also enjoy some mixed Indian pickle to add a zesty flavour.

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In the summer, we make Balti's from whatever is available in the garden/market.

- 3 tbsp olive oil
- 1 large Onion (chopped)
- 4-8 cloves Garlic (chopped)
- 2 tsp Ginger (minced fresh)
- 3-5 tbsp Monsoon Balti
- 2 cups Mixed Vegetables (chopped veggies of choice (zucchini, eggplant, potatoes, carrots))
- 28 oz Can of diced tomatoes (or 4 cups chopped fresh tomatoes)
- ½ tsp sugar ((optional to balance acidity))
- ½-1 cup Water or Stock ((as needed))
- 1 bunch Cilantro (chopped)
- salt (to taste)
- 1. In a large cooking pot, sauté the onion in the olive oil until translucent (about 10 minutes).
- 2. Add garlic and ginger. Sauté for 2 minutes.
- 3. Add Monsoon Balti. sauté for 2 minutes.

- 4. Toss in the vegetables, tomatoes and sugar with stock and salt to taste.
- 5. Lower heat, cover and Simmer for approximately 40 minutes, or until it thickens. Adjust seasoning to taste.
- 6. Before serving, add the chopped cilantro and serve.

Main Course, Side Dish, Soup Indian & South Asian Soup, Vegetarian

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1 large onion, chopped

4-8 cloves garlic, chopped

2 tsp of minced fresh ginger

3-5 TBL Monsoon Balti (to taste)

2 cups chopped veggies of choice (zucchini, eggplant, potatoes, carrots)

28 oz can of diced tomatoes or 4 cups chopped fresh tomatoes

½ tsp sugar (optional to balance acidity)

½-1 cup of water or stock (as needed)

1 bunch cilantro, chopped

Salt to taste

Spices Used: Monsoon Balti **3 (main)** | **4 - 5 (side) Servings**

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- 4 Toss in the vegetables, tomatoes and sugar with stock and salt to taste.
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